

REMARKS

In the action, the Examiner asserted that two inventions existed in the application, and identified claims associated with each. She required Applicant to elect a single invention for prosecution on the merits in this application, and to identify the claims encompassing the elected invention.

In response, the Applicant elects the Examiner's Group I. Applicant identifies the following claims which encompass the elected invention: Claims 1-29.

Applicant amends Claim 13 to correct typographical errors by changing H_3PO_4 to H_3PO_4 and H_2O_2 to H_2O_2 .

No fee is thought to be due with the submission of this Reply, which is being submitted within the shortened statutory period set by the Examiner in her last Office Action. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 503982 of Momkus McCluskey, LLC.

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